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To: [Moore, Gary](#)
Subject: Re: CES Griggs Road Cleanup
Date: Thursday, June 09, 2016 3:25:02 PM

Mr. Moore,

Thank you so much with your fast response and the information, very helpful!

To answer your question, yes I live in Harris County. I am a senior in high school and I am taking an environmental science course, so I was interested in some local environmental problems/threats, in which I remembered hearing about this a while ago. So, while searching up information about the CES waste, I became interested for more details.

Thank you again! -A

From: "Gary Moore"
To: (b) (6)
Sent: Thursday, June 9, 2016 1:59:24 PM
Subject: RE: CES Griggs Road Cleanup

Hello (b) (6)

Thanks for contacting me. The EPA completed it actions on the site in June 2015 and about the same time the CES Environmental Services, Inc. site was entered into the Texas Voluntary Cleanup Program by the Potentially Responsible Party(ies).with the Potentially Responsible Parties (PRP) continuing work on the site. The PRP Group is known as the CES Griggs Road PRP Group. Updates on the PRP progress is posted at: www.cesgriggsrd.com. I am providing you a copy of the most recent update that may not yet be posted to the website.

The TCEQ is overseeing and monitoring the current progress on the site through the Voluntary Cleanup Program. EPA is not currently directly involved but continues to follow the actions that are taking place through the monthly status updates (these are also posted on www.cesgriggsrd.com website as well).

Attached you will find the last status report done by EPA and you can obtain additional information from the website listed above. If you don't find the information that you need, please let me know.

1. Are there any more harsh chemicals that can danger the residents? If so, what are they and how do they harm people?
 - The bulk chemicals have been removed and disposed from all containers. These containers have not been hydroblast cleaned so there are residual materials (like dirty dishes) remaining in the tanks.
2. What is the EPA doing to help the site currently, and what is all that they have done?
 - The EPA is not currently actively involved in the continuing response actions on the site. These actions are being done under the direction of the TCEQ under the Voluntary Cleanup Program. EPA continues to monitor progress through the receipt of the monthly progress updates from the PRP. (See Attached Final Polrep for Action EPA conducted).
3. What are the PRP companies, and what are they doing, or did, to help?
 - At the time the VCP Agreement was signed the only PRP that stepped up to take on the work was The Lubrizol Corporation. There could be more that have joined the CES Griggs Road PRP Group but I am not aware of them. Ultimately, the PRP Group could

sue other responsible parties to contribute to the action.

4. What are the statistics of the chemicals still on the site?

- The only chemicals that would be left on the site would be residual materials that remain in the tanks because these tanks have not been hydroblast cleaned.
- There is likely some contaminated surface and subsurface soils on the site. This is part of the PRP investigation (See website)

I hope that I have provided you with the information that you requested. Please let me know if there is anything further you may need.

Also, what is your connection to the site. Are you a resident near the site?

Thanks

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From: (b) (6)

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To: Moore, Gary

Subject: CES Griggs Road Cleanup

Hi Mr. Moore,

I have been interested in the CES contamination problem in Harris County, and I would really like some more updates on the land there.

The last date I see of updates from the site dates in 2015. I would really like the latest update of the state of the site, along with some answers to some of my questions.

- 1) Are there any more harsh chemicals that can danger the residents? If so, what are they and how do they harm people?
- 2) What is the EPA doing to help the site currently, and what is all that they have done?
- 3) What are the PRP companies, and what are they doing, or did, to help?
- 4) What are the statistics of chemicals still on the site?

Sorry to bother you with these questions, but I would really appreciate your time!

Thank you -A